Alberta

Labour Force Statistics

October 2016 Aboriginal Population Off-Reserve Package

Package Includes:

- information for all Aboriginal people, First Nations and Métis
- Working age population, labour force, employment, unemployment and corresponding rates
- Full-time, part-time, public and private sector and self-employed breakdowns
- Gender and age breakdowns
- Edmonton, Calgary and rest of Alberta breakdowns
- Industry, occupational and educational attainment information

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Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rate, Canada and Provinces
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Alberta	**11.6%**	12.2%	-0.6	10.5%	+1.1
British Columbia	**10.8%**	10.3%	+0.5	14.5%	-3.7
Saskatchewan	**13.8%**	14.5%	-0.7	13.3%	+0.5
Manitoba	**12.6%**	13.6%	-1.0	11.7%	+0.9
Ontario	**9.0%**	9.7%	-0.7	10.4%	-1.4
Québec	**9.0%**	8.1%	+0.9	11.7%	-2.7
New Brunswick	**15.8%**	15.6%	+0.2	10.5%	+5.3
Nova Scotia	**13.9%**	16.3%	-2.4	13.2%	+0.7
Prince Edward Island	**n/a**	n/a	n/a	18.2%	n/a
Nfld. Lab.	**16.7%**	15.8%	+0.9	13.8%	+2.9
Canada	**11.2%**	11.5%	-0.3	11.9%	-0.7

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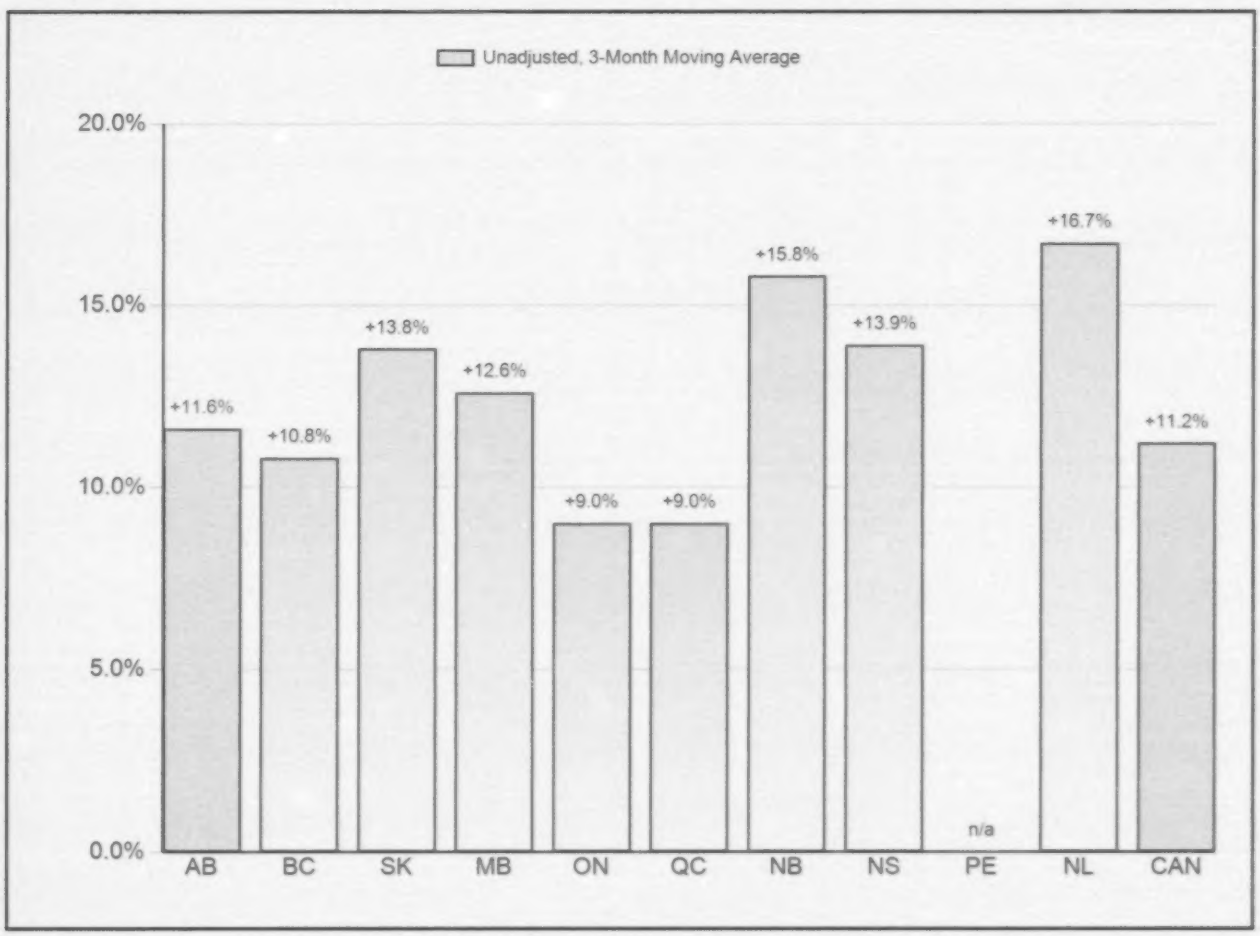
Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rate, Canada and Provinces



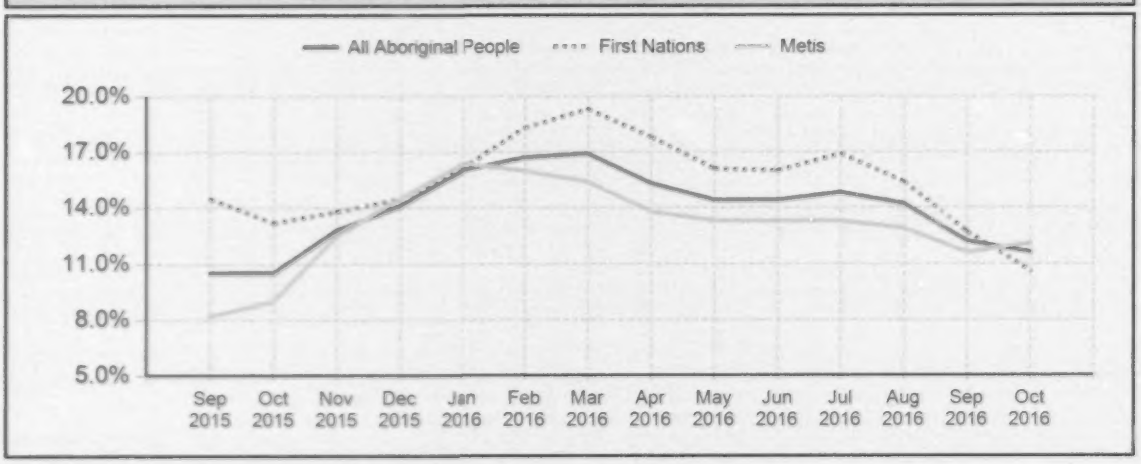
Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Labour Force Statistics
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**162.1**	161.2	+0.9	152.4	+9.7
Labour Force (000s)	**111.7**	113.2	-1.5	105.0	+6.7
Employed (000s)	**98.8**	99.3	-0.5	94.0	+4.8
Unemployed (000s)	**12.9**	13.8	-0.9	11.0	+1.9
Participation Rate (%)	**68.9%**	70.2%	-1.3	68.9%	0.0
Employment Rate (%)	**60.9%**	61.6%	-0.7	61.7%	-0.8
Unemployment Rate (%)	**11.6%**	12.2%	-0.6	10.5%	+1.1

First Nations	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**64.2**	63.6	+0.6	58.5	+5.7
Labour Force (000s)	**45.7**	46.3	-0.6	38.5	+7.2
Employed (000s)	**40.9**	40.4	+0.5	33.4	+7.5
Unemployed (000s)	**4.8**	5.9	-1.1	5.1	-0.3
Participation Rate (%)	**71.1%**	72.7%	-1.6	65.8%	+5.3
Employment Rate (%)	**63.6%**	63.5%	+0.1	57.1%	+6.5
Unemployment Rate (%)	**10.6%**	12.7%	-2.1	13.2%	-2.6

Métis	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Working Age Population (000s)	**94.6**	93.8	+0.8	91.4	+3.2
Labour Force (000s)	**63.5**	63.8	-0.3	65.0	-1.5
Employed (000s)	**55.8**	56.4	-0.6	59.2	-3.4
Unemployed (000s)	**7.7**	7.4	+0.3	5.8	+1.9
Participation Rate (%)	**67.1%**	68.0%	-0.9	71.1%	-4.0
Employment Rate (%)	**59.0%**	60.1%	-1.1	64.7%	-5.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	**12.1%**	11.6%	+0.5	9.0%	+3.1

Unemployment Rate by Population Group
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



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Caution on sample size.

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Characteristics
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	**October 2016**	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**98.8**	99.3	-0.5	94.0	+4.8
Full-Time Employment	**79.5**	79.6	-0.1	81.5	-2.0
Part-Time Employment	**19.3**	19.7	-0.4	12.4	+6.9
Unemployed	**12.9**	13.8	-0.9	11.0	+1.9
Employees	**82.3**	83.2	-0.9	81.7	+0.6
Private Sector Employees	**70.4**	69.6	+0.8	68.4	+2.0
Public Sector Employees	**11.9**	13.6	-1.7	13.4	-1.5
Self-Employed	**16.5**	16.1	+0.4	12.2	+4.3

First Nations	**October 2016**	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**40.9**	40.4	+0.5	33.4	+7.5
Full-Time Employment	**32.9**	32.4	+0.5	29.0	+3.9
Part-Time Employment	**8.0**	8.0	0.0	4.4	+3.6
Unemployed	**4.8**	5.9	-1.1	5.1	-0.3
Employees	**34.6**	34.1	+0.5	30.5	+4.1
Private Sector Employees	**29.2**	28.1	+1.1	25.8	+3.4
Public Sector Employees	**5.5**	6.1	-0.6	4.7	+0.8
Self-Employed	**6.2**	6.3	-0.1	2.9	+3.3

Métis	**October 2016**	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Employed	**55.8**	56.4	-0.6	59.2	-3.4
Full-Time Employment	**44.7**	45.1	-0.4	51.2	-6.5
Part-Time Employment	**11.1**	11.3	-0.2	7.9	+3.2
Unemployed	**7.7**	7.4	+0.3	5.8	+1.9
Employees	**46.3**	47.5	-1.2	50.0	-3.7
Private Sector Employees	**39.9**	40.1	-0.2	41.3	-1.4
Public Sector Employees	**6.4**	7.5	-1.1	8.7	-2.3
Self-Employed	**9.5**	8.9	+0.6	9.2	+0.3

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	11.6%	12.2%	-0.6	10.5%	+1.1
Men	11.7%	13.2%	-1.5	10.6%	+1.1
Women	11.4%	11.0%	+0.4	10.3%	+1.1
First Nations	10.6%	12.7%	-2.1	13.2%	-2.6
Men	12.2%	14.8%	-2.6	14.3%	-2.6
Women	8.8%	10.1%	-1.3	12.1%	-3.3
Métis	12.1%	11.6%	+0.5	9.0%	+3.1
Men	11.0%	11.8%	-0.8	8.4%	+2.6
Women	13.3%	11.5%	+1.8	9.6%	+3.7

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	Youth (Ages 15-24)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	51.4%	51.6%	-0.2	58.9%	-7.5
Men	56.6%	57.5%	-0.9	60.1%	-3.5
Women	45.6%	44.8%	+0.8	57.4%	-11.8
First Nations	54.6%	51.4%	+3.2	52.1%	+2.5
Métis	50.9%	52.5%	-1.6	65.6%	-14.7

	Adults (Ages 25+)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	63.6%	64.4%	-0.7	62.5%	+1.1
Men	71.2%	72.4%	-1.2	69.0%	+2.2
Women	56.8%	57.2%	-0.4	56.6%	+0.2
First Nations	65.9%	66.3%	-0.4	58.7%	+7.2
Métis	61.4%	62.4%	-1.0	64.5%	-3.1

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Working Age Population by Age and Gender
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	162.1	161.2	+0.9	152.4	+9.7
Men	79.1	78.6	+0.5	74.0	+5.1
Women	83.0	82.6	+0.4	78.4	+4.6
First Nations	64.2	63.6	+0.6	58.5	+5.7
Men	30.4	30.1	+0.3	27.4	+3.0
Women	33.8	33.5	+0.3	31.1	+2.7
Métis	94.6	93.8	+0.8	91.4	+3.2
Men	46.1	45.8	+0.3	46.1	0.0
Women	48.5	48.0	+0.5	45.3	+3.2

	Youth (Ages 15-24)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	35.9	34.8	+1.1	33.9	+2.0
Men	19.1	18.5	+0.6	18.5	+0.6
Women	16.8	16.3	+0.5	15.4	+1.4
First Nations	13.1	12.0	+1.1	14.2	-1.1
Men	6.6	6.5	+0.1	7.4	-0.8
Women	6.5	5.4	+1.1	6.9	-0.4
Métis	21.7	21.5	+0.2	19.1	+2.6
Men	11.7	11.1	+0.6	11.0	+0.7
Women	10.0	10.4	-0.4	8.0	+2.0

	Adults (Ages 25+)				
	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	126.2	126.3	-0.1	118.5	+7.7
Men	60.0	60.1	-0.1	55.5	+4.5
Women	66.2	66.2	0.0	63.0	+3.2
First Nations	51.1	51.7	-0.6	44.3	+6.8
Men	23.8	23.6	+0.2	20.1	+3.7
Women	27.3	28.1	-0.8	24.2	+3.1
Métis	72.9	72.3	+0.6	72.3	+0.6
Men	34.3	34.7	-0.4	35.1	-0.8
Women	38.5	37.6	+0.9	37.2	+1.3

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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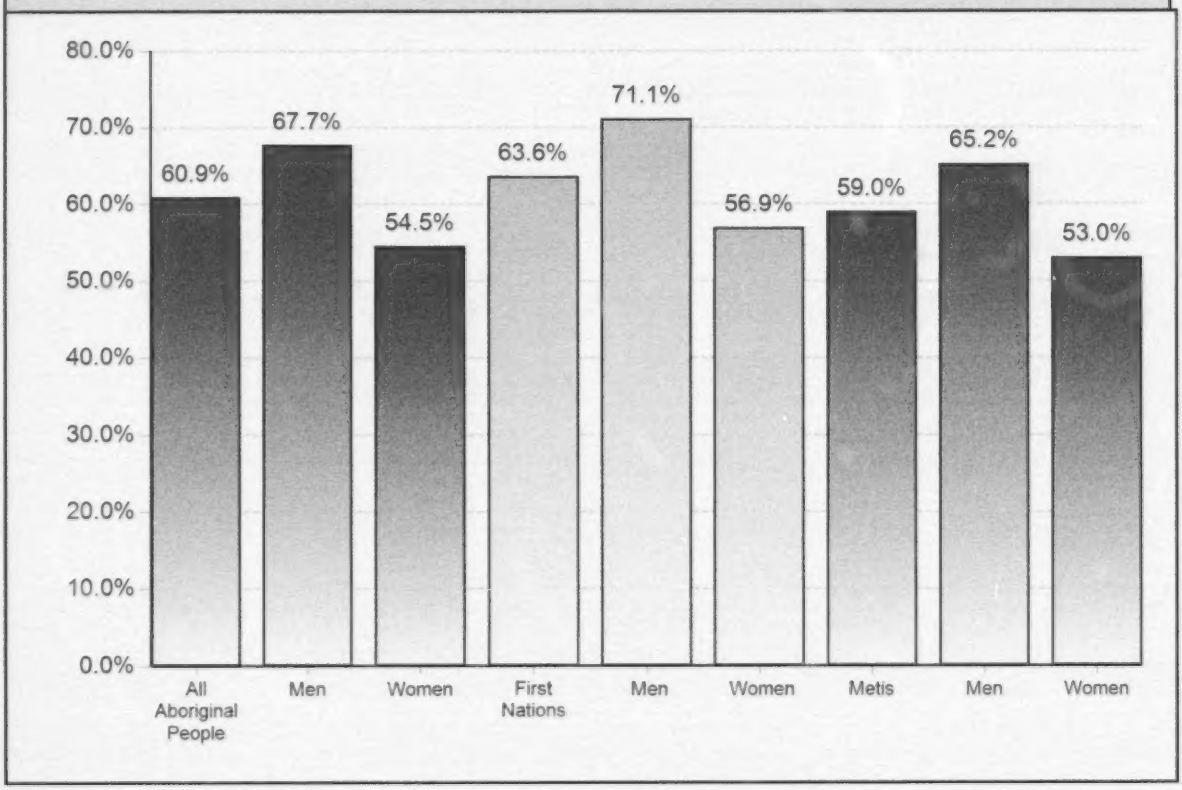
Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	**60.9%**	61.6%	-0.7	61.7%	-0.8
Men	**67.7%**	68.9%	-1.2	66.8%	+0.9
Women	**54.5%**	54.8%	-0.3	56.8%	-2.3
First Nations	**63.6%**	63.5%	+0.1	57.1%	+6.5
Men	**71.1%**	72.7%	-1.6	62.4%	+8.7
Women	**56.9%**	55.2%	+1.7	52.5%	+4.4
Métis	**59.0%**	60.1%	-1.1	64.7%	-5.7
Men	**65.2%**	65.8%	-0.6	69.3%	-4.1
Women	**53.0%**	54.7%	-1.7	60.1%	-7.1

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
October 2016, Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Participation Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Aboriginal People	**68.9%**	70.2%	-1.3	68.9%	0.0
Men	**76.7%**	79.4%	-2.7	74.8%	+1.9
Women	**61.5%**	61.5%	0.0	63.3%	-1.8
First Nations	**71.1%**	72.7%	-1.6	65.8%	+5.3
Men	**80.9%**	85.3%	-4.4	72.8%	+8.1
Women	**62.3%**	61.4%	+0.9	59.7%	+2.6
Métis	**67.1%**	68.0%	-0.9	71.1%	-4.0
Men	**73.3%**	74.6%	-1.3	75.7%	-2.4
Women	**61.2%**	61.8%	-0.6	66.5%	-5.3

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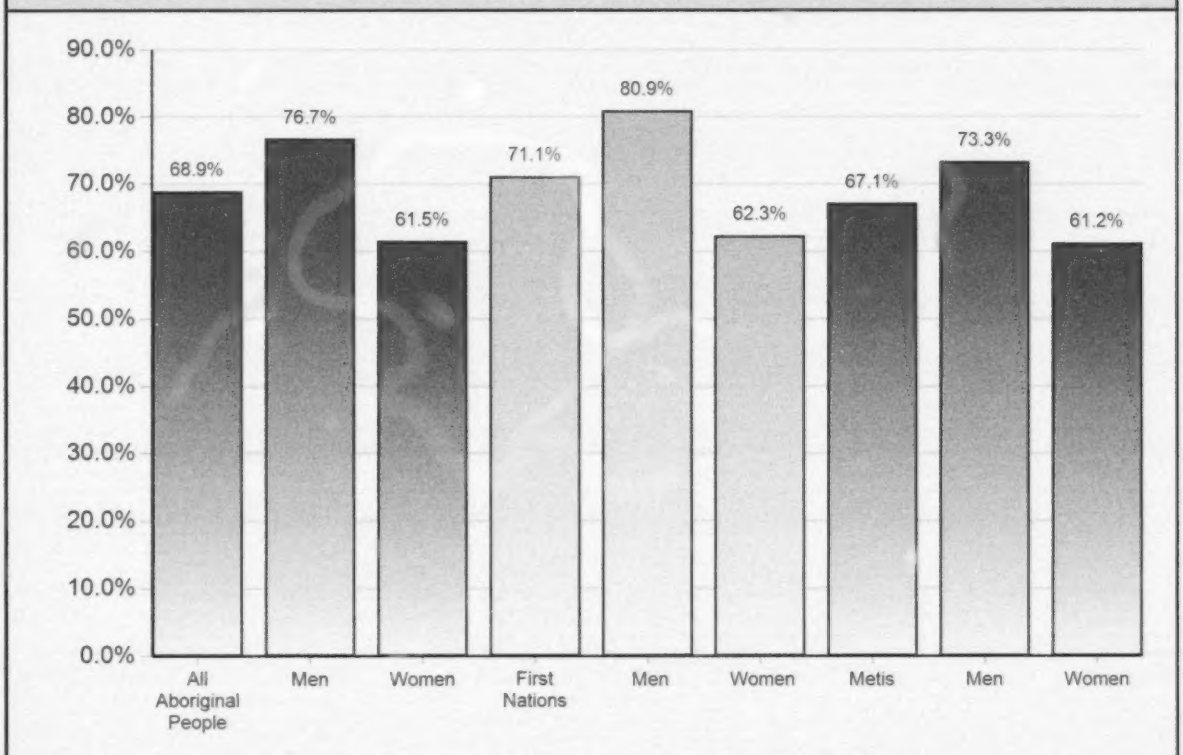
October 2016, Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



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Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment
Alberta Economic Regions
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
October 2016	40.6	19.7	38.5
September 2016	39.1	20.8	39.5
October 2015	35.5	17.9	40.6

First Nations	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
October 2016	16.3	12.7	11.9
September 2016	14.9	12.6	13.0
October 2015	13.7	6.8	12.9

Métis	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest Of Alberta
October 2016	23.3	7.0	25.4
September 2016	22.8	8.2	25.4
October 2015	21.7	10.5	27.0

Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates
Alberta Economic Regions
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Unemployment Rate		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
October 2016	6.7%	13.6%	15.3%
September 2016	9.8%	n/a	16.7%
October 2015	11.6%	n/a	9.8%

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Industry
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Industries	**98.8**	**99.3**	**-0.5**	**94.0**	**+4.8**
Goods-Producing Sector	***33.5***	*32.2*	*+1.3*	*34.1*	*-0.6*
Agriculture	**n/a**	n/a	0.0	n/a	0.0
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	**10.4**	9.0	+1.4	12.4	-2.0
Utilities	**n/a**	n/a	0.0	n/a	0.0
Construction	**16.9**	17.6	-0.7	17.1	-0.2
Manufacturing	**4.9**	4.2	+0.7	3.2	+1.7
Services-Producing Sector	***65.3***	*67.1*	*-1.8*	*59.9*	*+5.4*
Retail and Wholesale Trade	**12.7**	12.6	+0.1	13.0	-0.3
Transportation and Warehousing	**5.8**	6.0	-0.2	3.6	+2.2
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	**4.5**	4.6	-0.1	4.5	0.0
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	**3.2**	3.3	-0.1	3.1	+0.1
Management, Administrative and Other Support	**6.1**	6.8	-0.7	3.8	+2.3
Educational Services	**3.5**	3.7	-0.2	4.6	-1.1
Health Care and Social Assistance	**12.5**	12.4	+0.1	8.1	+4.4
Information, Culture and Recreation	**4.0**	4.8	-0.8	2.2	+1.8
Accommodation and Food Services	**6.8**	6.8	0.0	8.1	-1.3
Other Services	**3.0**	3.2	-0.2	5.2	-2.2
Public Administration	**3.2**	2.9	+0.3	3.5	-0.3

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Occupation
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
All Occupations	**98.8**	99.3	-0.5	94.0	+4.8
Management Occupations	**7.7**	6.5	+1.2	6.8	+0.9
Business, Finance and Administrative Occupations	**17.7**	17.3	+0.4	14.9	+2.8
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related Occupations			n/a		n/a
Health Occupations			n/a		n/a
Social Science, Education, Government and Religion			n/a		n/a
Occupations in Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport			n/a		n/a
Sales and Service Occupations			n/a		n/a
Trades, Transportation, Operators and Related			n/a		n/a
Occupations Unique to Primary Industry			n/a		n/a
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities			n/a		n/a

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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Labour Force by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**57.3**	60.7	-3.4	48.0	+9.3
Completed post-secondary education	**44.3**	45.8	-1.5	49.7	-5.4

First Nations	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**25.2**	26.1	-0.9	16.8	+8.4
Completed post-secondary education	**17.4**	18.6	-1.2	17.9	-0.5

Métis	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**31.6**	33.6	-2.0	30.4	+1.2
Completed post-secondary education	**25.1**	25.5	-0.4	31.1	-6.0

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Employment Rates by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**61.2%**	60.1%	+1.1	58.8%	+2.4
Completed post-secondary education	**76.2%**	74.6%	+1.6	77.8%	-1.6

First Nations	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**63.2%**	61.7%	+1.5	47.6%	+15.6
Completed post-secondary education	**77.0%**	75.0%	+2.0	82.1%	-5.1

Métis	October 2016	September 2016	Monthly Change	October 2015	Yearly Change
Some post-secondary education or less	**60.0%**	59.3%	+0.7	66.8%	-6.8
Completed post-secondary education	**75.0%**	73.6%	+1.4	75.2%	-0.2

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Data in these tables are for people ages 15-64 who are no longer in school (non-students).